

partnership of the subscribers  
firm of JOSIAH FAXON & Co.  
mutual consent on the 15th inst.

Joseph Baxter, jun.  
Josiah Faxon.  
Dwight Metcalf.

subscribers offer for Sale,  
Bottle No. 1 and 2 Pork  
do. No. 1 and 2 Beef  
do. New England Rum  
do. do. do.  
do. Hops and Gin  
do. first proof French Brandy  
do. fourth do.  
do. Molasses  
do. Wrapping Paper  
do. Mould Candles  
do. do. do.  
do. Brown Soap  
do. general assortment of SHOES, just  
which will be disposed of on moderate  
cash or approved notes.

Faxon, Metcalf & Co.

received and for Sale

By JOHN GRAY,

BOOK & STATIONARY STORE

opposite the old Eagle Tavern,

deals in writing PAPER—ALSO—

deals in Tea ditto.

deals in Books in addition to his former

deals in Bibles 4to. and 8vo.;

deals in Garden; Harvey's Meditations

deals in Algebra; Mrs. Ivers Cookery

deals in a of Modern Philosophers; Roderick

deals in Hudibras; Caleb Williams; Gull

deals in Rabelais; Humphrey Clinker; Ollian

deals in Gil Blas; Ferguson's Astronomy;

deals in Classical Dictionary; Clerk's Sabbath

deals in Locke's Pantheon; Vattel's Law

deals in Mayor's Natural History; Tora Jones

deals in 8vo. and pocket Dictionaries; Ch

deals in Generals; Simpson's Euclid; Gibbon

deals in Nations; Sorrows of Western; Shale

deals in Works 8vo.; Pilgrims Progress; Job

deals in works 9 vols.

deals in TATIONARY.

deals in and pencils, Dutch and Irish quills,

deals in boxes, gold leaf, Goulet's scales, and

deals in boxes, files, fluted and plain glass

deals in hands, counting house files and

deals in sand-box and blotter pasteboards, black

deals in ad pencils, black and red sealing wa

deals in ink powder, playing and black card

deals in red Morocco pocket books, black

deals in bound, Roman & common violin strings

deals in general assortment of school books—

deals in which will be disposed of on the most

deals in terms for cash.

deals in 3.

deals in Intending to remove from this

deals in the course of the ensuing summer, I

deals in the whole of my STOCK, consider

deals in the usual selling prices.

deals in John Gray.

deals in Cheap Bread Manufactory

deals in Opposite the Market,

deals in James S. Scott's, Royal Street,

deals in ALEXANDRIA—

deals in WILLIAM LOVELL,

deals in leave to inform the Ladies, Gentle

deals in and the Public in general, in this town,

deals in Wednesday, the first of May, he

deals in will be baking; where they may be

deals in with BREAD of the first quality

deals in baked—on such terms never before

deals in this place—as follows:

deals in eighteen penny loaf for 20 cents,

deals in nine penny loaf for 10 cents, four

deals in penny loaf for 5 cents; and, for the

deals in convenience of those families or

deals in circumstances will not

deals in LARGE BREAD, he will make

deals in any loaf two ounces heavier than

deals in the one served by the Clerk of the

deals in Corporation; so that the labouring

deals in people served on as good terms as the

deals in the best SUPERFINE FLOUR for

deals in at seven cents per pound, or

deals in a dollar. These Ladies and Gentle

deals in men will be regularly supplied at

deals in the above terms, and will be

deals in obliging enough to send

deals in orders, which will be attended to,

deals in to sellers of Bread. To prevent

deals in any misunderstanding the above terms are

deals in CASH, and

deals in stated credits are agreed on, and

deals in to be regularly paid—the

deals in To Taverns, Boarding houses,

deals in and there will be an additional

deals in saving in buying LARGE LOAVES

deals in TO SMALL.

deals in PRINTED DAILY BY

deals in S N O W D E N.

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## Public Sale.

On TUESDAY next,  
At 10 o'clock, will be sold at the Vendue Store,  
**RUM**

In hhds. and bls. French Brandy in pipes,  
Gin in pipes and bls.  
Whisky and Apple Brandy in bls.  
Sugar in hhds. tierces and bls.

Chocolate  
White and brown Soap and } in boxes,  
Mould and dip Candles  
Raffin in kegs, boxes and jars,  
Figs in kegs and fraills,  
Queen's Ware in crates,  
**HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,**  
&c. Also,  
**A Variety of DRY GOODS,**  
among which are

Cloths, Coatings, Kersemeres,  
Dumet, Plains, Kerseys, Negro Cottons,  
Serges, Blakicks, blue Friezes,  
Cambricks, Russels, Yarn Stockings,  
Cottons and Callicoes,  
Irish Linens, Silica do.  
Onaburgs and Ticklenburgs,  
Muslin and Muslin Handkerchiefs,  
India Muslins and Table Cloths,  
Bandanna Handkerchiefs,  
Coloured Threads, Hats and sundry other  
articles.

Philip G. Marshall.

Dec. 20.

10 pipes well flavor'd Holland

60 casks Dutch Linseed Oil,

2 bales German Ticklenburgh

1 cask Britannias,

1 do. Plafillas Royal,

Just Imported from Rotterdam,

In the brig Nancy, Spalding,

AND FOR SALE BY

J. & T. Vowell,

WHO HAVE IN STOCK,

A few pipes old Madeira Wine, fit

for immediate use,

Three hhds. old Grenada Rum,

Three casks Clover Seed,

Ten pipes 4th proof Spanish Brandy.

6-8 Cask given for Otter and

Mink Skins.

April 25.

15000 wt. GREEN COFFE,

Of a very superior quality;

FOR SALE, by

William Bartleman.

May 10.

Wants a Place, in a Store,

A young man, pretty well acquaint-

ed with business. Enquire of the

Printer.

May 28.

Just Published,

And for Sale by Cotton & Stewart,

A Key to the Mystery of Iniquity,

OR AN

Address to Mr. of Candor and

lovers of Truth.

By JOHN WEST,

Of Fairfax County.

This work contains a compendium

of religious history, accompanied with the author's

reflections; proving modern Christianity to be spu-

ritious, and human legislation in the Church to be

unjust, &c. &c.

MS. 3.

EIGHT DOLLARS reward.

LANAWAY, from the subscriber, son in

Lawburg, Lunenburg county, Virginia, the

16th April last.

A MUZZO BOY, named L E I

LEWIS, 20 years old, about 5 feet

9 inches high, slender made, big jointed

large feet, head of gray, and a great talker.

He was, when he went away, a mixt grey cloth

coat, white cane jacket, blue cloth over-

alls, oxbow shirt, and a round hat. He was

seen at the 11th white, in Alexandria on Sunday

the 21st April. All masters of vessels and others

are forbidden against carrying him off at their

peril. Whoever will apprehend said boy, and

deliver him to me, or secure him in any jail

or that he shall again, shall receive the above

reward and all reasonable expenses paid.

William Taylor.

Just Received,  
Per Brig Harmony, from Bolton, by  
Lawrason & Fowle;

Mould and dipt Candles,  
Fresh Chocolate,  
A few pipes Holland Gin, and a quantity of  
Plaster Paris.  
New-England RUM in barrels.  
June 1.

Jesse Hollingsworth & Son,  
COUNTY WHARF, BALTIMORE,  
HAVE FOR SALE,

Imperial Teas, in qr. chests } Of late impor-  
and boxes } tations,  
Hyson, } TEAS, } and  
Young Hyson, } in } FINEST  
Hyson Skin, } qr. casks, } quality.  
Long and short yellow Nankeens  
Cognac Brandy, 4th proof, old and fine  
Jamaica Rum  
Sugar  
Molasses  
Salt  
Cologne Millineries, from three feet 3 inches  
to 4 feet 9 inches.  
Hand do.  
Plaster of Paris.  
Bar Iron and Nail Rods  
Castings  
Millington and Crowley London Steel  
German and Country do.  
Baltimore, May 24. (June 4.)

BENJAMIN COCKE

Has received, and is now opening, a handsome

assortment of SPRING GOODS, among

which are,

Plain and Lace Cambric Muslins,

Lenox and Colonado, do. India mull and

book do, lace and embroidered muslin shawls,

Chambray muslin, Italian and India silks, chioz,

calicoes, cambric and common dimities, lace

edging, wreaths, artificial flowers, white plumes,

straw bonnets, silk and cotton hosiery, cotton

casimere, marcelles, janes, superfine cloths, fine

woollen cord, Irish linen and sheeting, tick-

tenburg, dowlas, platillas, heffians, gurrals, bat-

tas, mamoodies, &c.

1 cask gentlemen's London fashionable HATS.

May 31.

Jonathan & Mahlon Scholfield

Have just received, via Philadelphia,

A large and general Assortment of

DRY GOODS,

Suitable to the season—consisting of

Irish linens, Irish and Russia dia-

pers, dowlas, ticklenburgs, ozanaburgs, brown

Hollands, white platillas, Silicias, sheeting,

checks, assorted; Harlem stripes, cambric and

jaconet muslins, book muslins, colored cam-

bricks, laced cambricks, assorted; laced cam-

bric shawls, Beerboon gurrals, mamoodies, fine

calicoes, fine batas, and fannas; muslins India

chintz, India checks, Roman handkerchiefs, long

and short yellow nankeens, blue and black ditto,

Cotton casimere, assorted; dimities, assorted;

Marcelles, assorted; India and Italian silks, as-

sorted; farcenes and peelonga; assorted; silk,

cotton, and thread hosiery, Leghorn bonnets,

silk and kid gloves, with leather ditto, pins,

tapes, threads, sewing files, assorted; fans and

buttons; and

A variety of other Articles,

In addition to their former stock, make a very

complete assortment:

All of which they will sell low for cash, or

good notes payable in Alexandria, at 60 days.

May 29.

SPRING GOODS.

Charles Bennett

Has imported in the ship United States, Captain

Speake, the following GOODS; which he

offers for sale, on moderate terms, by whole-

sale or retail:

Superfine Cloths & Kersemeres,

Best black fatins and florentines.

Cotton Kersemeres and colored nankeens,

fashionable waistcoats,

do. cotton, and thread hosiery.

Red and plain cambric muslins,

do. and cambric ditto.

Black, white, and drab silk gloves.

Extra long pie nic, and plain silk

gloves.

Best and killing hives.

Waldman Sickels.

Scythes.

Shot, best.

Double and

barrelled guns, &c. &c.

May 24.

Mandeville & Jamesson  
Are now landing, and offer for Sale,  
10 puncheons high proof Jamaica

Rum.  
10 hogheads Barbadoes Molasses.  
8 hogheads St. Croix Sugars.  
English F and FF Gunpowder.  
Philadelphia Loaf Sugars.  
Patent Shot and Bar-Lead.  
May 29.

I have Received,  
PER UNITED STATES,  
A few Tons PATENT SHOT and

BAR LEAD.  
ALSO,  
100 Boxes PIPES.

W. Bartleman.

May 22.

JUST RECEIVED,

AND FOR SALE BY

THE SUBSCRIBER,

First and second quality Russia Duck

Short Yellow Nankeens

India Cottons

Hyson Skin

Young Hyson, and } FRESH

Souchong

Burlington Pork

Whiskey and

300 bushels St. Kitts Salt.

DANIEL MURGATROYD.

May 6.

20 puncheons Jamaica RUM,

LAST YEAR'S CROP,

Just received and for Sale on reasonable terms.

John & Thos. Vowell.

May 9.

TUNIS CRAVEN,

HAS JUST RECEIVED,

An elegant assortment of goods, selected from

the latest importations, in Phila-

delphia and Baltimore.

—AMONG WHICH ARE—



neighbors. He tells them to  
settle every dispute: "For (says he)



enclosed the bond  
by the paper money  
marks as the nature  
to suggest. The  
full discharge of the  
by a virtual acknow-  
the dishonor-blence.

discharged, what  
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session; all of which  
trially true; and most  
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have a tendency to  
e, or arrest the pro-  
stant abundantly re-  
entions on my part to  
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erty to make use of  
ness. If not neces-  
ular inclination to ap-  
ully your's,  
MAS TURNER.

K, June 5.  
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but he observes, that  
ired relative to govern-  
former communication  
ment of the American

K, June 4.  
Dunrobin, Castle, capt.  
Greenock. April 19,  
long. 32, 30, W. the  
from Barbadoes bound  
ays, all well. May 3. In  
W. spoke the Venus,  
om Wilmington bound to  
rt. 37, 42, long. 67, 11,  
Aurora, Darling, maker,  
s, bound to Martinico,  
in lat. 40, 19, N. long.  
ip Phoenix, capt. Arriot,  
New York, out 53 days,  
like the ship Friendship,  
d for New York, having  
passengers of the Patty,  
by a Spanish schooner of  
prior to this the Patty  
lith frigate, and treated  
the Spanish schooner's cap-  
letter being of an old

Deirkham, 59 days from  
Matilda, Thompson, for  
Carthy, Boston; Sally,  
Iris, Conway, Alexan-  
Boston; Alert, Sane-  
n, do. and a number of  
names not recollected  
any with the ship Wil-  
Batavia, lat. 49, long. 11,  
ship Robult, of Boston, 10  
for Hamburg, lat. 34,  
May 17, spoke the ship  
Liverpool bound to City  
tain very sick, St. 39.

Souks, 11 weeks from  
arer, 12 d's from Ma-  
na, Well 18 days from  
25 d's from Jamaica.

Advertiser.  
AY, JUNE 8.

a Gentleman of re-  
g at St. Louis, to the  
ucky Gazette, dated  
Louis, April 22.  
considerable alarm  
one of which nation  
for murder. About  
nation are now her-  
coming preceded them  
hundred. We were  
and the people her-  
city that does seem  
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table. They said at  
me to demand their  
on their way, that he  
poral of the guard,  
they said they would  
ty of their fathers, to  
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me from St. Charles,  
probable, that 500  
the Mississippi; but  
dians who are now  
several days before.  
three murders com-  
the three months, and  
here are two of the  
n jail.

The house of Pierre Chouteau, Esq., has been burned down to the ground in less than two hours. It happened in January. It was the best furnished house on this side of the Alleghany mountains. His loss must amount to 30,000 dollars, for he lost everything. It is certainly a public calamity. The owner is a generous, worthy man. We last night received the news of general Wilkinson being our Governor. From his general character, I should suppose him well calculated for the task, and taking the proper steps in the beginning, which I have no doubt he will do, he will lead the old inhabitants of this country the most honest, the most docile, and easy governed people in the world, provided only, they gain their confidence in the beginning. There are a few here, and in several parts of the district; some late comers, and some others who lived here under the Spanish government, which in fact, loaded them with kindness. These persons have become clamorous; they would be so if French, or even the Turks had got possession of this country. All they want is leaves and fishes. These persons are in horror and contempt by all the old inhabitants. They are but very few; and could the Governor, on his arrival give them any footing or encouragement, he will cure himself, and do the United States a service.

It was a most fortunate circumstance, that the inhabitants of this country, and for the United States, that such men as capt. Oddart and governor Harrison were at hand, to act in this district. They have servedly gained the esteem of the inhabitants.

The following premiums are given by obscure individual, to the inhabitants of the village, called Florissant, or St. Ferdinand, about fifteen miles from St. Louis. The village consists of about sixty very poor families; all French. It is the most beautiful village I ever saw, as to situation, and extremely healthy. The people are very indolent; but when you are told, that they give two, and sometimes three bushels of wheat, for a pound of coffee, which they all drink as they do taffia, you will not be surprised that they should be poor.

#### PREMIUMS. HEMP OR FLAX.

	Dolls.
for the best acre and half	25
the next best acre	20
the best 3-4 acre	15

#### COTTON.

	lb.
for the best and cleanest parcel of	200 25
the second best	150 20
the third best	100 15

#### SPINNING AND WEAVING.

	yds.
for the woman who spins and weaves the best piece of linen or cotton cloth of	25 25
the second best piece of	20 20
the third do. do.	15 15

#### CLOATHING.

for the best dressed woman on the 4th of July, 1805, all of her own make	25
The second do. do.	20
the third do. do.	15

25 Dollars for every family who refrains from coffee and taffia for one year from March last.  
50 Dollars for every decent young man who marries an orphan girl, and settles in the village.

Also, 10, 8 and 6 dollars, for the best dressed suits of cloaths.  
This individual has furnished them with hempseed, which they are about sowing. He will furnish them a weaver at his expense. He advances them looms, spinning wheels, cards, hackles, &c. and sends the above articles in payment for the suits.

These people dance about six months the year, and all they can get is spent in that way. This person has made a calculation, and shews that every family must be in the course of 30 years, 4000 dollars, allowing only 12 balls in the year, and the expenses to each family would be 120 dollars; that with the interest, and a day lost preparing for, and a day lost sleeping after the ball, allowing the labor of each family to be two dollars a day, which he says will make in all 1200 dollars. He offers them a lease gratis in the village for six balls in a year, provided they will dance no more, except on a marriage, or the fourth of July.

He also advises them never to have a suit at law; because, he says, if a man gains his suit, he will lose some money; he will lose his time, and the good will of his neighbors. He tells them to arbitrate every dispute: "For (says he)

two or three honest neighbors will do you as much justice in Florissant, as twelve jurymen will at St. Louis."

The people of this country, I mean the old inhabitants, are extremely honest, and civil, and kind, but very ignorant; and their confidence in each other is such, that the greatest part of the property in this country has been passed from hand to hand, without even the scrape of a pen. Since I have been here, I have not seen a single quarrel, or serious dispute among the French.

"*Quere*.—Should the United States adopt some plan of the kind above, for the encouragement of industry and manufactures, would not the sums so laid out, return into its coffers, and produce cent. per cent. in a short time?"

The brig *Levant*, arrived yesterday from Malaga, touched at Gibraltar and got under weigh with the United States brig *Syren*, lieutenant Stewart, bound to Tangiers. Saw her afterwards in a bay where two Tripolitans were said to be lying. The schooner *Two Brothers*, Lindley, of Marblehead, likewise failed from Gibraltar in company with the *Levant*, and afterwards spoke her. Captain Lindsey informed that he had seen the privateers run under the fort when the *Syren* entered the bay.

[New-York paper.]

In confirmation of an article under the New York head relative to American claims on Spain, we have it in our power to state that information of an important nature has been received in this city from Madrid, corroborating the accounts that discussions of so serious a nature had taken place between the Spanish court and our ambassador, as rendered it probable that the latter would speedily retire from that kingdom.

(U. S. Gaz.)

From The Boston Centinel,

#### POLITICAL EXAMINER. No.—IV.

"Choosing rather far  
A dry but independent craft hard earn'd  
And eaten with a sigh, than to endure  
The ragged frowns and insolent rebuffs  
Of knaves in office."

Cowper.

We now return with mingled emotions of satisfaction and to apprehension, the contemplation of the main object of our inquiry. We find a satisfaction in finding that our lives are secured from the attacks of private vengeance by the barrier of natural right and the express injunctions of divine authority, mingled with apprehension lest we should find a constitutional deficiency, or inability to exclude the violators from promotion. Let us, however, as proposed take a short view of the principles, construction and combination of the governments of the union and of the states, for a power adequate to our wishes.

The form of the federal government is essentially republican, and we find, by the fourth section of the fourth article of that compact, that a republican form of government is guaranteed to every state in the union.

Political writers assert, that public virtue is the active principle of republican governments. The very institution of popular elections is evidently founded on the presumption, that the people possess, not only penetration to distinguish, but also virtue to elect none but the sons of virtue to exalted stations. This presumption is the first foundation and postulation of republicanism. To suppose that a republic can exist in its purity, without this, is folly, absurdity, madness. It is virtue alone that upholds, supports and actuates it, and without this it must sink into anarchy, or despotism. The legislative is the most important branch of the civil authority, and of course it is the most essential to have this department filled with men of virtue. If the laws originate in vice and depravity—if they flow from criminal and corrupt hearts, they will not be founded on correct principles, nor can they secure the blessings of liberty.

"Faults in the life breed errors in the brain,  
And these reciprocally those again."

If such men be admitted to the most important, they certainly may to the coordinate and sub-ordinate branches. We may have a legislature, an executive and a judiciary of murderers. We may bestow on them offices after offices, until prescription renders crimes an essential qualification for promotion. Deplorable indeed, must be such a condition. This, then, will afford an answer to the first part of our enquiry. We see that virtue is the principle of republicanism. The wanton destruction of the life of another can in no case, be a virtue. On the contrary all na-

tions join to pronounce it, both in a civil and moral view, one of the greatest crimes that blacken the character of man. To admit those who are stained with this crime to the important duties of legislation, is, then, not only inconsistent with, but subversive of, the vital principle of republicanism.

We will now proceed to see whether it is consistent with the constitution and existing laws of the union. The grand objects of our government, and what ought to be the grand objects of every government, are distinctly pointed out in the preamble of our constitution. The formation of a more perfect union, the establishment of justice, the assurance of domestic tranquility, provision for the common defence and the permanent security of the blessings of liberty, are there held up as the leading objects of pursuit. We ought then to suppose, that every power which can ultimately tend to the attainment or perpetuation of these objects, is contained in that act of the concentrated wisdom of our nation. Let us examine the position under consideration by this test. The only way to determine the expediency of any rule of action, is to view the general consequences of its operation. Which of these great objects will be promoted by the general admission of such men into the federal legislature? Would it tend "to form a more perfect union?" No. The union of the whole must depend on the harmony and connection of its parts. Such men would tear asunder every fibre that binds society together. If individuals are permitted to wield the sword of private revenge with out the interference or controul of public laws and authority, the bonds of union are instantly dissolved, and instead of a society of men, we shall become a society of gladiators: Life will become a play thing, and murder an amusement. Would it "establish justice?" No. The streams of justice cannot flow pure and unpolluted through the hand that is crimsoned, or from the head that is clogged, with the gore of murdered innocence.

One great object of the social compact is to prevent individuals from being their own judges and the avengers of their own real or imaginary injuries. Such men have set this principle of association at defiance, and it is presumption to expect that they will be instrumental to promote it. Their examples if not their laws, would sanction the deepest atrocities. Would it "insure domestic tranquility?" No. Instead of making laws to secure, they would be the chief violators of this blessing. Instead of guarding it with the vigilance of public sentinels, and the zeal of patriots, they would sacrifice it to every burst of passion. They would whet their swords for havoc and riot in commotion. Under their administration, every man's arm would be raised against his neighbor, and our government would raise up sons, only to prey on her own vitals. Would it provide for the common defence? No.—The strength and defence of nations consists in population and public virtue. Such men would diminish that population, and corrupt those virtuous sentiments of patriotism which alone constitute the safeguard, and defence of nations. In fine, would it have a tendency to secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity? No. We have already shewn, that it would be subversive of the very foundation of republican liberty. The clashing of swords and the noise of pistols would drown the mild music of peace; and it would let loose the tigers of society to drink and fatten on the blood of innocence! Here then we find that the admission of such men to the administration of our government is diametrically opposed to every object of our Constitution. Still it may be doubted, whether that instrument has provided a remedy for the threatened evil; whether there is any power in our government adequate to their exclusion.

It is an established maxim in politics, that every government must possess, in itself, the power of self defence and of the preservation of its essential attributes; or it must inevitably perish. Some politicians have argued, that this power, though not expressly recognized, is still essentially inherent in the government, and constitutes a fundamental principle of the *lex non scripta*, or common law of the land. Without contending for the adoption of this broad position in our country, we will proceed to examine the express stipulations of our constitution and laws. If the federal government does not contain, in any of its branches, a power to exclude from its administration, men, who would destroy its foundation and its principles, it must soon crumble into dissolution. The constitution makes no express provision against the election of a man to any office who is guilty of any crime. It probably would not admit the possibility that the people could be so depraved as to promote such a man to office. That compact was erected on the presump-

ed virtue and integrity of the people. That candidate, who is best qualified, both as to knowledge and honesty, has, undoubtedly, a moral right to promotion. Right and obligation are reciprocal. The elections are, therefore, under a correspondent moral obligation to follow on him their suffrages. Those, who wantonly violate this moral duty, incur a greater degree of guilt, because the injury to society is more extensive, than those who violate a single private right of personal property. But we know, from the history of ancient republics, that such an occurrence may take place. We learn, from those pages, that the people are not wholly incorruptible: We find, that unworthy men may obtain popularity and promotion. Our enquiry is, for a remedy; for a constitutional power to strip them of their robes of office, and deprive them of their unmerited glory and honors.

HORTENSIVS.

#### A Peasant and an Emperor.

A Persian Emperor, when hunting, perceived a very old man planting a walnut tree, and advancing towards him, asked his age. The peasant replied, "I am four years old." An attendant rebuked him for uttering such an absurdity in the presence of the Emperor. "You confuse me without cause," replied the peasant: "I did not speak without reflection; for the wife does not reckon the time lost in folly; and the sages of the world: I therefore consider that to be my real age which has been past in serving the Dairy, and in discharging my duty to society." The Emperor struck with the singularity of the remark, observed, "Thou canst not hope to see the tree thou art planting come to perfection." "True," answered the sage: "but since others have planted that we might eat, it is but right that we should plant for the benefit of others." "Excellent," exclaimed the Emperor. Upon which, as was the custom whenever any one was honoured with the applause of the sovereign, a purse-bearer presented the old man with a thousand pieces of gold. (On receiving it, the shrewd peasant made a slow obeisance, adding, "O King! other men's tread come to perfection in the space of forty years; but mine have produced fruit as soon as they were planted."—"Bravo!" said the monarch, and a second purse of gold was presented; when the old man continued, "The trees of others bear fruit only once in a year; but mine have yielded two crops in a day."—"Delightful!" exclaimed the Emperor, and a third purse of gold was given: After which, putting spurs to his horse, the monarch retreated, saying, "Reverend father, I dare not stay longer, lest thy wit should exhaust my treasury."

The Public are respectfully requested to suspend for a short time, their opinions on the statement lately published by Richard Ratcliffe; as it will necessarily take some days to collect documents relative to transactions of near 20 years standing, but which, in conformity to my former promise, I shall lay before the public; leaving them to judge of Mr. Ratcliffe's claim to veracity and truth.

GEORGE SUMMERS.

6th June, 1805.

#### PUBLIC SALE.

On WEDNESDAY, the 12th of June, will be sold, at the dwelling-house of Mr. Mills, in King-Street,

A GREAT VARIETY OF  
Elegant Household and Kitchen  
Furniture, &c.

P. G. Marsteller.

June 8.

#### TO BE HIRED,

BY THE YEAR OR MONTH;  
A smart, active Negro Boy,  
About 14 years of age.  
Apply to the Printer.

June 8.

#### JUST RECEIVED,

By the Norfolk packet, captain JOHNSTON,  
160 bags Fine LIVERPOOL SALT.  
A few tierces STONE-LIME, FOR SALE.  
William Hodgson.

June 8.

#### TO LET,

(ON WASHINGTON-STREET)

The House at present occupied by  
Joseph Mandeville. Possession may be had early  
in June next. Apply to  
Mandeville & Jameffon.

May 20.

This day is Published,

And for Sale at ROBERT GRAY'S Book-  
store, and THIS OFFICE,  
(PRICE TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.)

#### AN ABSTRACT

OF AN  
A P O L O G Y,  
For Renouncing the Jurisdiction  
OF THE  
SYNOD OF KENTUCKY.

BEING

A Compendious View of the GOSPEL,  
AND A FEW REMARKS ON THE  
CONFESSION OF FAITH.

By Robert Marshall, John Doolittle, Richard  
M'Nemar, Barton W. Stone, John Thompson.  
May 22.



**JUST RECEIVED, BY  
ROBERT GRAY,  
And for Sale at his Book Store,  
For Jaundice & Bilious Complaints,  
WHEATON'S,  
GENUINE PATENT BITTERS.**

Price only 50 cents.  
Secured to him by Letters Patent from the President of the United States.

A MEDICINE extremely useful and efficacious for curing jaundice and bilious disorders and removing that sinking faint and distressed feeling at the stomach, difficulty of breathing, loss of appetite, and sleep, dizziness, and in the forehead of the day, weakness, and trembling of the limbs, dizziness of the head, and yellowness of countenance, complaints so common to jaundice and bilious people.

Also removing obstructions of the bowels, and of fine, choleric complaints, pukings, and purgings, indigestion, sick head ache, rheumatic complaints, &c. which live from a collection of four, bilious matter in the stomach, and at length restoring the constitution to strength and vigor.

They are also found very useful to carry off worms, and to cure ricketty children, and may be used with safety in all constitutions, ages and sexes.

The many cures that have been effected in New England, by the above medicine (as may be seen in the bills) prevent the necessity of further recommendation.

L. K. & W. S. H.

**Wheaton's patent itch Ointment,**

Price only 50 cents.

The only medicine in the world which will certainly cure the ITCH, without having in it any thing either dangerous or disagreeable; it being composed mostly of ingredients never before discovered or used in this disorder.

One box cures a person, and there need be no washing after the use of it, as the skin is generally left cleaner and smoother.

ALSO,

**Lee's genuine Windham Antibilious PILLS.**

**REANIMATION.**

WHEN the most important functions of life are suspended, and those who are invalids by imprudence, inheritance, accident of disease, are tottering upon the brink of the grave, it is not in despair that relief is to be found. There is a medicine which has restored thousands from infirmity and misery to health and happiness, which is

**THE AROMATIC LOZENGES OF STEEL.**

Since this excellent medicine was first discovered by Dr. Bardwell, several thousand females have experienced its salutary effects; many of whom had been reduced to the brink of the grave having used every remedy recommended as specific in those complaints, and had made every application to the faculty that could be obtained. The following recent case is selected from a numerous list.

From Mrs. Eleanor Wadsworth, Providence, (R. I.)

Sir, WE received yours and with much pleasure comply with your request, as my daughter has certainly received very great benefit from Dr. Bardwell's Aromatic Lozenges of Steel.

In the winter of 1802 my daughter, who is inher 17th year caught a very severe cold, which with the violent fever which accompanied it, confined her to her room upwards of four months; during this period we paid for Doctors bills and consultations 150 dollars. The fever left her in the most deplorable, and debilitated state with hardly any use of her limbs, so that we were obliged to carry her from the bed to the chair. Being strongly persuaded by the Doctor we went to Ball's Pond Springs, but stayed the season, and thought she gained considerable strength by the use of the waters; but by the fatigue of the passage (having very rough weather) she became as weak and her cough much worse than before. During the last winter her whole nervous system has been so irritable, and her spirits so low and depressed, that death to her was desirable. In the latter end of January we saw an Advertisement recommending the Lozenges of Steel for similar complaints; we immediately purchased a packet of them, and before the whole of them were taken, they evidently produced a change in her system, which no medicine before had been able to effect; we sent for two more packets. It is now fourteen days since she began to mend; she has laid aside her crutches, has been twice to horse back, and if the weather should prove favorable we intend coming to Peekskill early in April to spend until we go to Ball's Pond Springs; from there we will send you our address, where with pleasure we will satisfy any enquiries.

Price one Dollar per Packet.

Particular directions for their use are stated up with each box but as the great benefit to be derived from them can only be obtained by having them genuine, the public are requested to observe that the name of Thomas Stokes & Co. are affixed to each packet, without which mark of authenticity they are not genuine.

**The Lozenges of Steel,**

are only to be had, in Alexandria, of Messrs. R. & J. GRAY.

WHO HAVE ALSO ON HAND,

A SUPPLY OF

**Family & Patent Medicines,**

—CONSISTING OF—

**Chambers's Antacid Lozenges;**

**Ague and Fever Drops; Antibilious Pills; Anodyne Effluence for Head Aches; Reanimating Solar Tincture; Dr. Bardwell's genuine Eye Water; Atkinson's Effluence of Mustard; Scotch Ointment for the Itch; Tooth Ach Drops; Aromatic Lozenges; Effluence of the Woods, &c. &c.**

**Dr. Hunter's genuine Antibilious Pills,**

For the prevention and cure of Yellow,

Bilious and Putrid Fevers.

Every experienced physician knows that dangerous disorders arise from a redundancy while in the habit; however salutary a due secretion of this fluid may be, yet a diffusion of it in the circulation is known, from its putrescent qualities, to bring on sudden and fatal fevers. The unparalleled success of Dr. Hunter's Antibilious Pills, in curing, and particularly preventing this dreadful disease is universally known in the

islands, and has induced the proprietors to appoint agents in all the mercantile towns in the United States, for the accommodation of the public. The Antibilious Pills are therefore, in an especial manner, recommended as a preventative, deterring the notice of all persons going to the West India Islands, or any of those places infected with these fevers. Dr. Hunter has every possible reason, that can result from long and extensive experience, for believing that a dose of these pills, taken once every fourteen days, during the prevalence of our fall fevers, will prove an infallible preventative, and that, if taken in the early stages of these fevers, their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, may be used with safety by persons in every situation and of every age.

In sickly times and places a dose should be taken once a fortnight, and if there is reason to apprehend personal danger, once a week.

Observe that the signatures of Messrs. Thos. Stokes and Co. is affixed to each box, without which mark of authenticity they are not genuine.

**The genuine Scotch Itch Ointment.**

The only medicine that cures this disagreeable disease by one application, so many thousands having experienced its efficacy; it is unnecessary to add any more arguments in its favor, but to caution the public that the name Thos. Stokes and Co. is affixed to each box, without this mark of authenticity, none are genuine.

**Dr. Bardwell's genuine Eye Water.**

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the Eyes; speedily removes inflammations, dimness, itching, and film, it never fails to cure those maladies which frequently succeed the measles, small-pox, and fever; and is an unparalleled strengthener of a weak sight.

**Dr. Hunter's genuine Antibilious Pills.**

An agreeable and certain preventive of the predisposition to inflammatory and malignant fever, which prevails at particular seasons of the year. The rapid and increasing demand from every part of the United States, and the West India Islands, is the best evidence of their superior excellence.

**CHAMBAUD'S**

**Antacid Lozenges.**

A radical cure for coughs, colds, asthma and consumption, difficulty of breathing, &c. &c.

Mr. CHAMBAUD, the sole proprietor of this medicine, has the satisfaction to announce that they have been the means of relieving many persons in a most precarious state of health. In common colds this medicine produces so salutary a perspiration that they generally are eradicated in a few hours. Coughing, being prolonged by that convulsive symptom termed the tickling in the throat, it shortens its duration by promoting sleep and strengthening the constitution. Pulmonary complaints, affecting the breast and lungs; those affected with them experience an almost immediate relief. Asthma and confined consumptions have repeatedly been eradicated by them. Infants in the hooping-cough, and women during pregnancy, may take them without the least fear of danger, and with the greatest expectation of relief, nor can it be administered at an improper season.

**Dr. BRADWELL'S**

**Anodyne Effluence, for all kinds of Head Aches.**

THE renowned virtues of the Anodyne effluence, is now so generally known, that it is no presumption on the part of the Proprietor, to say, that Head Aches, arising from whatever cause, or however violent, in nearly all cases, submit to its penetrating powers. This valuable Anodyne, has frequently succeeded after the best advice, and every other remedy had failed; by its salutary operation, it infallibly promotes circulation and perspiration, and thereby prevents the return of the most obstinate periodical head aches.

**SPRING PHYSIC.**

DR. HUNTER'S Anti Bilious Pills are unquestionably proved by ample experience to be the most efficacious remedy, at the same time the most innocent, pleasant, and convenient medicine for the cure of scurvy, leucorrhoea, eruptions, leprosy, and other disorders originating from a corrupt state of the blood. The remarkable cure of Mr. Elliston of Albany, who had been twelve years tormented with a most distressing scorbutic complaint, as also that of Thomas Johnston, a labouring man, in the service of Mr. Van Rensselaer, who was afflicted with a most horrid leprosy, must have convinced every one who has read the particulars of these cases, besides which, a variety of proofs of their efficacy, authenticated by persons of character and respectability are open to the examination of every inquirer. These pills naturally be supposed to have their due weight, and supersede the necessity of any further comment from the Proprietor, yet, he presumes to assert, that the real merits of this vegetable preparation will on a fair trial, plead more forcibly its own recommendation than any thing which can be said of it.

**Where also may be had,**

Atkinson's Worm destroying Lozenges.—These Lozenges not only destroy worms where they exist, but effectually prevent their return. The families who have allowed Dr. Atkinson's advice, and fed them in the spring and fall among their children, as their common physic, have now the happiness to find those children, which appeared sickly and consumptive, in the bloom of health, being entirely delivered from those dreadful vermin.

Sparta, Mount Pleasant,

March 27, 1804.

We hereby certify, that our daughter, about 4 years of age, has been very unwell and in a bad state of health for these last two years. We always suspected that she had worms, and had given her several worm medicines, without any good effect, so that we despaired raising her till of late. Hearing of some surprising cures being performed by Atkinson's worm destroying Lozenges, we purchased a packet of them, and administered them according to the directions. The first dose brought away only one worm, and with it a quantity of slimy, offensive matter; the second brought away four monstrous worms nearly half a yard in length and the third dose, large quantity of slimy offensive matter, with some worms and purging, with which she was frequently

troubled, however, her regular appetite has become, &c. &c. & has over since enjoyed a perfect state of health, for which we are entirely indebted to this excellent medicine.

**DR. BARDWELL'S**

**Re-animating Solar Tincture, or Pabulum of Life**  
Of the cure of Consumption and Asthma, Disorder in the Stomach and Bowels, Convulsions, Cholera and D. fevers.

Cautious in investigation, and attentive enquiry into the nature and laws of the animal economy, having long confirmed an opinion in the mind of the inventor, that all the maladies above mentioned, derive their origin from the same cause, indirect debility, or consequent weakness, the analogy of their source, by a natural inference suggested the idea of their removal by the same means; the result was the discovery of the Re-animating Solar Tincture, which after having been employed in thousands of instances, with the most unexampled and astonishing success, has obtained the warmest approbation of characters of the first respectability, both in and out of the profession; the proprietors can confidently recommend as one of the most certain, efficacious, and pleasant remedies ever discovered by man or offered to the world.

Price, 1 dol. and 1 dollar and 50 cents per bottle. The large bottle contains nearly two of the small. Copious Directions for their use are sealed up with each bottle.

**Dr. Stoughton's Cordial Bitters, faithfully prepared at the original warehouse, London.**

This incomparable medicine has stood the test of universal approbation in Europe for near an hundred years, in the cure and prevention of,

Loss of appetite, bad digestion, windy cholera, arthritic, hysterical vapours, faintness and trembling, ague and fever, depressed spirits, foul breath, worms in children, scurvy, obstructions or p. age, bilious fevers, sick fits, &c. &c.

These Bitters being now generally used in taverns and public places, and universally acknowledged by all who have tried their effects, to be far superior to the compositions formerly imposed in imitation thereof; the proprietors have reduced the price to those who purchase largely about fifty per cent. Directions will be passed on the bottles, and which will be also sealed, in order to detect counterfeits and upstart pretenders, who will all tell you, they make the genuine Stoughton's Bitters; and in order to impose their trash on the public, they sometimes copy a part of the true advertisement and directions.

**Specific Drops for Deafness.**

FOR many years have these Drops been used with amazing success, in DEAFNESS & HARDNESS OF HEARING. Those who are unacquainted with the great relief afforded by this valuable medicine, are earnestly recommended to trial. Few are the cases in which it has not been of great service, and very often perfected a complete cure.

Copious directions for the use of the Specific Drops for Deafness are sealed up with each bottle. Price one dollar.

June 13.

**CANDLES.**

The Subscribers have received a consignment of 100 boxes of Mould CANDLES, the quality of which is stated to be extraordinary. —For sale by

Robert T. Hoge, & Co.

Who wish to draw on Boston, for a few thousand Dollars at short sight.

May 16.

To be Rented, for One Year, (By the Subscribers.)

A valuable Merchant-Mill, near the Little Falls of Potomac, with three pair French Burr Millstones, and every necessary machine complete for manufacturing flour, to the best advantage, and with as little manual labor as possible. Also,

A Brewery, Granary, Millers, and Brewers, Houses, Coopers Shops, &c. For terms apply to Edmund I. Lee, Esq. in Alexandria.

Wm. HERBERT, R. B. LEE, Thos. SWANN, Wm. B. PAGE, Trustees of Philip R. Fendall, deceased.

**SPRING GOODS**

Just received, per ship Carlisle, from London, and for sale, by the subscribers:

Amongst which are—

Elegant and fashionable muslin shawls; plain and colored muslin, pique, calico, muslin, Japan laced, fine lappet, plain and laced cambric, jaconet and book muslin; cambric dimities; leno; Italian farfenses; plain India and narrow corded dimities; nankeens; jeans; crossovers; quiltings; rigid printed cambrics; calicoes; chintzes, &c. &c.

Many of these goods are in packages suitable for the West India market—emitted to draw back.

R. Veitch & Co.

May 15.

**PORTER CELLAR.**

Margaret Myers

HAS FOR SALE,

At her PORTER CELLAR, Union-street, Alexandria,

Bottled Porter, and Ale of the first quality, by wholesale or retail. Commands from private families, innkeepers, masters of vessels, and country merchants, will be duly attended to and thankfully acknowledged.

May 14.

N. B. See has a quantity of HOOPS, which she will sell on very reasonable terms.

A few Copies of the American Gardener for sale by Robert Gray, at his Book Store, King-street.

**DOUGLASS & MANDEVILLE**

(King-street.)

Have just received and offer for Sale, 20 hhds. 1st. & ad. quality brown

**SUGAR,**

20 cists Barbadoes Molasses, 10 cists 4th proof Jamaica Rum, 10 hhds. Philadelphia Rye Whiskey, 5 do. N. York Lump and 1st. 5 pipes Holland Gin, 7000 lbs. Green Coffee, 6000 wt. excellent Cheese, 20 casks Raisins, 40 boxes do. 100 gallons Hayanna Honey, Fresh Teas, Fine and coarse SALT, &c.

ALSO

700 bbls. SHAD & HERRING

May 16.

**O. P. FINLEY,**

Has received per the United States, just from Liverpool, an extensive assortment of HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY, CUTLERY, &c. which he will dispose of on very reasonable terms:—

40 doz. Wheat Scythes, 25 do. Sickles, 20 do. Spades, 23 do. Shovels, 90 faggots Crowley's Steel, A few tons of Patent Shot, 40 or 50 doz. broad and narrow Hoes. A few casks 6d. 8d. 10d. 12d. 20d. wrought nails fine drawn.

May 23.

**GUNPOWDER TEA.**

A few boxes of the very best quality just received by

Mandeville & Jameffon.

May 15.

**TO LET,**

For one or more years,

The white Warehouse, on King street, near Col. Ramfay's wharf. The situation for business equal to any in town. Apply to

JOSEPH RIDDLE & Co.

March 29.

**REMOVAL.**

JAMES RUSSEL,

Has removed his Store to Royal street, in part of the OLD EAGLE TAVERN HOUSE, one door north of King street; where he has up a fresh supply of

German & East-India Goods,

Prints, Dimities, Checks, Irish Linens, &c. &c. which he will sell by the piece, low, for cash, or on short credit.

May 2.

N. B. I will let, for four years, the BRICK HOUSE I have just left, on Fairfax street.

J. R.

**Fresh Supply of FRUIT.**

This day Received,

Per Schooner CITIZEN, from St. Kitts, ORANGES, of an excellent quality and remarkable large, Lemons and Limes, in fine order. Cocoa Nuts, Tamarinds, &c.

May 10.

John A. Burford

**Union Cheap Bread Manufactory**

Opposite the Market, Adjoining James S. Scott's, Royal street, ALEXANDRIA.

By WILLIAM LOVELL,

Who begs leave to inform the Ladies, Gentlemen, and the Public in general, in this town, that on Wednesday, the first of May, he will commence baking; where they may be supplied with BREAD of the first quality and found baked—on such terms never before offered in this place—as follows:

THE eighteen penny loaf for 20 cents, nine penny loaf for 10 cents, four penny loaf for 5 cents; and, for the convenience of those who for family or circumstances will not admit of LARGE BREAD, he will make the three penny loaf two ounces heavier than the weight fixed by the Clerk of the Market, as directed by the Corporation; so that the labouring man will be served on as good terms as the merchant. THE BEST SUPERFINE FLOUR for house keeping at seven cents per pound, or fifteen pounds for a dollar. Those Ladies and Gentlemen who wish to be regularly supplied at their own houses, will be obliging enough to send a line as above, which will be attended to. Great allowance to fellows of Bread. To prevent any misunderstanding the above terms are CASH, unless where stated credit is agreed on, and such are expected to be regularly paid—the profits being small.

N. B. To Taverns, Boarding houses, and large families, there will be an additional saving of ten per cent. in buying LARGE LOAVES in preference to SMALL.

April 30.

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Vol. V.]

**Public Sale.**

On TUESDAY next, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at the V. R. M.

In this, and bis. French Brandy in Cist. in pipes and bis. Whiskey and Apple Brandy in bis. Sugar in hhds. tierces and bis. Chocolate White and brown Soap and in bis. Mould and dipt Candles Ruffs in kegs, boxes and jars, Queen's Ware in crates, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. —ALSO, A Variety of DRY GOODS among which are

Cloths, Coatings, Kersamer Duffs, Plains, Kerseys, Negro Cloths, Elasticks, blue Friezes, Calmancoes, Ruffs, Yarn Stockings, Chintzes and Calicoes, Irish Linens, Sileas do. Omburgs and Tickenburgs, Merino and Muslin Handkerchiefs, India Muslins and Table Cloths, Bandanna Handkerchiefs, Colored Threads, Hats and sundries.

Philip G. Marj

**BENJAMIN COCKE**

Has received, and is now opening, a assortment of SPRING GOODS, which are,

Plain and Lace Cambric Muslin and Colonnade do, India muslin book do, lace and embroidered muslin, Chintz muslin, Italian and India silk, calicoes, cambric and common dimities, edging, wrights, artificial flowers, white muslin, silk and cotton hosiery, calicoes, marcelles, janes, superfine cloth, woollen cord, Irish linen and muslin, lenburg, dowlas, platillas, bellinas, gurgles, mamoodies, &c.

1 case gentlemen's London fashionable

May 31.

**IRISH LINEN**

WILLIAM LADD

Has imported from DUBLIN, (via New York) a small invoice of

IRISH LINEN

Which are well assorted; and will be sold for cash or on short credit.

June 5.

10 pipes well flavored H. G. 60 casks Dutch Linseed Oil, 1 cask German Tickenburgh, 1 cask German, 1 cask Platillas Royal,

Just Imported from Rotterdam, in the brig Nancy, Spalding, AND FOR SALE BY

J. & T. Voss

WHO HAVE IN STORE,

A few pipes old Madeira W. for immediate use,

Three casks Old Grenada Rum,

Three pipes 4th proof Spanish Brandy.

Cash given for Old

Blank Stems.

April 20.

15000 wt. GREEN COFFEE

Of a very superior quality; FOR SALE, by

William Bartle

Just Published,

And for Sale by Cotton & Stevens

A Key to Myself of Im

OR AN

lovers of Truth.

By JOHN WEST, Of Fairfax County.

This work contains a complete collection of history, accompanied with the latest and most modern episcopacy, and human legislation in the Church, &c. &c.

The highest price given for

Golden Rag, by the Printer for